

Whitman & Howard tell Selectmen Not the Burlington Dam but rainfall causes Weeping Hill



SELECTMAN JAMES MICELI (Back to camera) directs a question to Fred King (with hands folded) vice President of Whitman & Howard, during the meeting of Monday night. Wilmington's Water Commissioners are at right, and Whitman & Howard engineers with Mr. King are behind and to the left of him.

Five engineers and a consultant, from the firm of Whitman & Howard, engineers, told the Wilmington Board of Selectmen Monday night that the water in Weeping Hill, near Chestnut Street, comes from rainfall, and not from the Burlington Reservoir.

The six men, headed by Vice President Fred King of Whitman & Howard, had with them a chart of the area of the Burlington Reservoir, with test well sites in Wilmington, Woburn and Burlington delineated, and the chart was set up for the Selectmen's inspection. They also had with them, they said, 2000 photographs which they were prepared to exhibit on a projector. The selectmen declined the offer of seeing the photographs, and preferred rather to discuss the problems of Weeping Hill with the visiting engineers.

Also present were the three members of the Board of Sewer and Water Commissioners, chairman Arnold Blake, Vincent McLain and Robert Mullarky, and the Water Department superintendent, Ken Mutschman. Selectmen who took part in the discussion were chairman James Banda, Jim Miceli, Mike Cairra and Danny Gillis.

The first part of the conversation concerned the vote of the Selectmen several weeks ago, telling the Town Manager to no longer contract with the firm of Whitman & Howard. The conversation was started by chairman Arnold Blake of the Water Commissioners.

Jim Miceli readily admitted that his reason for voting to bar Whitman & Howard was to force them to have a conversation (with Wilmington Selectmen). Miceli said that the board had gone for a long time without any answers, and he felt that answers were due, on several points about the Burlington Dam.

Selectman Danny Gillis was not quite so affable. He told the Whitman & Howard group that it was he who made the motion banning that firm from Wilmington (this after an hour of conversation) and that he wasn't backing down.

The reports of Whitman & Howard engineers, Gillis said, were in direct contradiction with those of personal friends of forty years standing, who live in the neighborhood of Weeping Hill, Ed. and "I'll see you in court!" Mr. Gillis used the phrase "see you in court" on two occasions, in his short summary near the end of the meeting.

But, to return to the first part of the conversation, part of which Gillis was summarizing, the three selectmen present did agree that the board of selectmen should discuss again their vote in banning Whitman & Howard (Selectman Cairra was late). They went further, at the very end, and agreed that perhaps it might be

possible for the Board of Selectmen of Burlington and Wilmington to meet together with the Whitman & Howard engineers for a three way discussion.

Arnold Blake, chairman of the Water Commissioners told the selectmen, before the Whitman & Howard engineers began their talk that the commissioners needed them for work with water and planning i.e. sewers and that Whitman & Howard was "uniquely qualified to handle this work."

Fred King, a vice president of Whitman & Howard, made the opening statement for that firm. He reviewed the history of the firm (104 years, and hope another 104), and the history of the Burlington Dam, a \$4 million project in which the personnel were selected carefully, and during the construction of which the firm took over 2000 pictures, as they went along.

After it appeared that there were difficulties with water said to come from the dam, King told the Wilmington selectmen, his firm did put on a presentation for the Burlington selectmen. "Nothing told to us, by the Town of Burlington indicates any change" (in our thinking, Ed.).

In more conversation, by Mr. King and by his associates, the selectmen were told that the firm had called in the firm of Bailey and Aldrich, experts on soil, as consultants.

The dam itself has a solid concrete core. Pumping of water was started in January of 1973, and in June the water level was topped off.

Steve Medler, one of the engineers was introduced as a person who had made daily measurements of the flow of water, at the home of Walter Rooney, and photos of the situation at the Ed Rooney home.

The water level, the selectmen were told, was at 144 feet, USGS, and had a maximum drop of eight feet, by December 1973.

"We do feel there is a connection with the rainfall," the selectmen were told, referring to the waters coming from Weeping Hill.

The three new houses were discussed briefly, as having been first occupied in 1972.

On the chart of the area, shown to the selectmen, one of the engineers pointed to a larger area delineated in yellow, as the meanings of the marks etc. were being explained. The larger area in yellow was in about the place where a somewhat sunken wagon road exists, above the Frank Holland house. This the engineers called a "ponding area, in Wilmington" and declared that it was twenty feet higher than the maximum water level of the Burlington Reservoir.

Pointing to the four test wells in the Wilmington area of the chart, the spokesman said that in general the test wells have been dry. One well, he said, recently had water, but that well is higher than the reservoir.

"We feel we are taking an objective look at the problem. We feel that the two years of excessive rainfall are responsible."

Dr. Aldrich

Dr. Harold Aldrich, a consulting geologist was one of those who spoke. He said that the hill was composed of granite, and gneiss, and granite and schist, with an overlying stratum of glacial till or boulders. He also described some gravel.

The problem, the selectmen were told, is almost entirely related to rainfall. "I think if you could see the data plotted you would readily concur."

Whitman & Howard, he said, is a professional firm, and "in my judgement if you make a judgement against Whitman & Howard you are prejudging the case."

Selectman Mike Cairra, speaking to Dr. Aldrich, noted that he had indicated the rainfall as the major cause. I assume that other factors may be contributory."

Dr. Aldrich: "This is not to say there is no seepage from the reservoir. All dams seep some. I am fully convinced that the major problem is rainfall."

The discussion changed to one of sites in the area. The Walter Rooney house, Dr. Aldrich said, was located in an area of glacial till.

The selectmen were told that the disturbing of the soil in such locations could cause water to flow. The disturbance of the soil at the Rooney barn was a cause for water to flow, the selectmen were told.

Dan Gillis

Selectman Gillis (before quoted) spoke up as the discussion came to an end to say "I was elected to this board to do what I could for the people. Whitman & Howard has taken this stand - We didn't."

"I as a member of this board do not want to continue a contract, I don't want Whitman & Howard to do work in this town."

Mr. Miceli asked questions about the contingency fund, a normal part of any engineering contract, where money is added to the costs to take care of unforeseen circumstances. Mr. King said there was a contingency fund of \$300,000.

This fund, he explained, was not for Whitman & Howard to use as it pleased. "We are bound by contract - we have no legal right to enter into any area (of the contract) or make corrections on our own."

He went on to say that there had been discussions with the Town of Burlington but "we have had no written communications with the Town of Burlington."

Chairman Jim Banda had a few words to say about the rainfall situation. Mr. Banda understood why, in certain aspects, the firm of Whitman & Howard could not discuss details - there being ethics involved - but he could not take the rainfall story. "People living there never had a problem - until the dam was built. I can't take it. And it is not just one person, or two - or three."

Mr. King wanted to know if there was not some way they could prove the problem to be related to the rainfall.

Mike Cairra: "You are talking about two different dams. All our ethics are going to be shot to hell when we get into the courts."

Gillis: If the Town of Wilmington went to Walter Rooney's and started digging I think you could follow it up to the dam."

It was Cairra, at the end of the discussion, who suggested a three way meeting between the two boards of selectmen and Whitman & Howard. He said that he had voted against Whitman & Howard because he wanted to get problems solved. "I saw this thing dragging and dragging."

Miceli turned the conversation back to the contingency fund. He thought that Burlington and Whitman & Howard would be smart to consider doing the necessary work, rather than have a court fight, and the money was there in the contingency fund.

Woburn Street By-Pass location is firm

The proposed by-pass for Woburn Street, from Eames Street to Lowell Street was confirmed in detail by the Planning Board on Tuesday evening. It was, for all intents and purposes, the only business of the evening.

Three neighbors from Hanson Road, Robert Lewis and Florence Balkus of Woburn Street and John Lucci were the interested citizens, and only Miss Balkus had nothing to say, other than to admit she owned some of the abutting property on one occasion.

The Hanson Road men were worried that increasing traffic would provide a noisy situation, and would further tend to put their homes in an industrial area. They also worried about drainage, as the street when constructed was three and a half feet below grade.

Mr. Lucci believed the street as proposed would be more expensive from a tax proposition for the town. He suggested a street across from Eames Street to West Street, as had been suggested earlier.

Robert Lewis said it made no difference to him. As things stood, if he wished to, he could put in a housing development, and as things were being proposed, he

could also, if he chose put in a housing development.

Arthur Harding, chairman, told them that it was necessary that the town take the property delineated on the Planning Board Maps in the coming Town Meeting, because any idle property was being put to "better" use.

He pointed out that the Alternate Route 129 already has three homes on it, which will ultimately have to be moved, and that a small shopping center was built on one end while nothing could be done to stop the construction. He further pointed out that the alternatives to the Woburn Street By-Pass had already been eradicated by Building Construction, and this was the only feasible way left.

The proposal to build across to West Street, Mr. Harding said, would be of no benefit unless a bridge could be constructed across Route 93, and that would be impossible.

Cathy Pavelcak and Carol Tyler General Electric awards 3 day trip to Albany NY



THEY TOURED WILMINGTON GE: Georgia Dado, high school science teacher and Cathy Pavelcak were guests of General Electric yesterday for a tour of the Wilmington facility. Carol Anne Tyler was unable to make the trip because of illness.

They are shown inspecting a testing instrument, with GE's Jim O'Connor.

The Misses Cathy Pavelcak and Carol Anne Tyler, Wilmington High School seniors, have been awarded three day trips to Albany New York, where they are to participate in the 78th annual International Birthday celebration.

The award is being made to the outstanding science students in the Senior Class by the Aerospace Instruments and Product Support Department of General Electric. The department is located on Fordham Road, in Wilmington. Cathy is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Joseph Pavelcak of 8 Powderhouse Circle, and Carol is the daughter of Mr and Mrs James Tyler of 8 Dorothy Avenue.

The Edison Birthday celebration will include many top high school science students from all parts of the country, and there is to be seminars, conducted by some of the country's leading scientists.

Miss Georgia Dado, science teacher in Wilmington High School will also be a guest of General Electric for the three day visit.

FINANCIAL AID WORKSHOP AT ANDOVER SCHOOL OF BUSINESS FEBRUARY 11

How and where to secure financial aid for a college education will be the subject of a workshop at Andover School of Business, Monday, February 11th at 7:30 pm.

All college-bound students and their parents are invited to attend the free session and reservations can be made by calling the school at 475-5151 on or before Friday, February 8th.

JERRY LEFEBURE WILL ADDRESS SISTERHOOD

On Saturday evening, February 9th at eight o'clock, Temple Shalom of Wilmington Sisterhood will feature the noted hypnotist Jerry Lefebure.

Everyone is invited to attend at a cost of \$2.50 per person. Refreshments will be served and reservations should be made by February 6th.

Call Sheila Eifman at 658-5944 or Ellen Harris at 851-9607.



FIFTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: It was the fiftieth wedding anniversary party last Sunday, for Joseph and Helen Cunningham of 12 Baker Street, Wilmington. The party was in the K of C Hall in Tewksbury with over 150 guests, the farthest coming from Canada. The couple have three sons and a daughter, and 14 grandchildren.

Now it is Official

Newly appointed Postmaster John F. Zaleski of Wilmington was officially appointed to his new position in a brief ceremony in the

Post Office last Thursday morning. A Warrant from the Postmaster General, appointing "Mike" as

Postmaster of Wilmington was read by George K. Walker, manager of the Boston Postal District, and Postmaster of

Boston. Several other Postmasters were present as guests, as well as other postal officials.



THE COMMISSION: As Postmaster of Wilmington is displayed by Postmaster George K. Walker of Boston and John F. "Mike" Zaleski of Wilmington, just prior to his being read. From left: Charles Santos, central section manager; Mrs. Zaleski, with David, Julia and Kristin; George K. Walker, postmaster of Boston, and Mr. Zaleski, Wilmington's new postmaster.

It should have said in March

Everyone makes mistakes, even the Town Crier from time to time, say every day or so.

Last week there was a story on the front page saying that an increase in light rates could be expected in July.

That's not the time to have an in-

crease in light rates, or any other kind of rates. That's the time of the year when everyone is dreaming about the coming vacation.

The story should have said that the increase in rates could be expected in March.

Dancing Lessons! WILMINGTON RESIDENTS

Ballroom Techniques: Hully gully, fox trot, Green dances, alley cat, snoopy, cha cha, waltz and polka.

Wednesday evenings: from 7:30 to 8:30, Woburn St. School cafeteria February 13 to April 17.

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Register by calling Recreation Office, 658-6512.

TAXPAYERS ATTENTION

School Committee
Public Hearing - Budget

High School Auditorium
February 12, 1974 8 P.M.
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Memorial Services Sunday for Rev. Stanley Cummings

The Rev. Stanley Cummings, of Deerfield, Mass., Pastor Emeritus of the Wilmington Congregational Church, passed away Monday, in the Severe Memorial Hospital. He was 84 years old, the son of the late William and Lucetta (Stow) Cummings of Plainville, Connecticut.

A man of gentle mien and educated pun, the Rev. Mr. Cummings served as Pastor for the Wilmington Congregational Church for ten years, from 1948 to 1968. It was a period of growth for

the church, and he helped with the planning and erection of the Parish House to accommodate the growing activities.

The Rev. Mr. Cummings was one of the organizers, and the first president of the Wilmington Council of Churches; was chairman of various committees in the Woburn Association of Congregational Churches, and was for many years the secretary and bulletin editor of the Rotary Club of Wilmington. He served in the U.S. Army.

Chaplain Corps in World War I, and before accepting his Wilmington pastorate had served churches in Sheffield, Mass., Albans and Bennington Vermont, and after retiring from Wilmington served in Huxford, Massachusetts for several years before finally retiring to his home in Deerfield.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Richard Golden of Deerfield, and two sons, Abbot L. Cummings of Boston, curator of the Society for the Preservation of Antiquities in New England, and Dr. Jonathan Cummings of Bethesda, Maryland. Four grandchildren also survive.

The Smith & Kelleher Funeral Home, in Shelburne Falls is in charge of the funeral arrangements, and contributions may be made in his memory to the Massachusetts Conference of the United Church, 14 Beacon Street, Boston 01204.

Memorial Services are to be held Sunday at 2:30 pm in the Mary Lyons Church in Rockland, Mass. just off the Mohawk Trail.

Ramsdell lived at 148 Wildwood St., Wilmington.

Mr. Ramsdell is survived by his son Frank E. Jr., of Burlington; daughter, Mrs. Frances Menzies of Brooklyn, N.Y.; his father Almon Ramsdell of Melrose. He was the brother of Lester of Miami, Florida, Ruth Chiarelli of Haver, Mass., and Almon H. Ramsdell of Wildwood St. Wilmington. Five grandchildren also survive.

Mr. Ramsdell was a member of the Tewksbury-Wilmington Lodge of Elks No. 2070; fraternal services were held on Tuesday. Funeral services were from the Nichols Funeral Home, 187 Middlesex Ave., Wilmington on Wednesday, February 6th at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. George Taylor of the Congregational Church officiating. Burial took place in Wildwood Cemetery.

Pall bearers for Mr. Ramsdell were: Robert Ramsdell, Charles Ramsdell, John Chiarelli, Lester Ramsdell, Frank Ramsdell Jr. and Ralph Grassia.

SERVICES FRIDAY FOR MURRAY J. HANIFAN

Murray J. Hanifan of 90 Aldrich Rd., Wilmington passed away suddenly at Choate Memorial Hospital after being stricken at his residence. Mr. Hanifan had lived at the Aldrich Rd. address for the past 11 years.

Born in Woodland, Maine, 66 years ago, Mr. Hanifan had been employed for the Boston and Taunton Transportation Co. as a truck driver for twenty-seven years prior to his retirement.

Surviving are his wife, Florence (Dean) Hanifan and a son, Donald Hanifan of Los Angeles, California.

Funeral services will be held at the Nichols Funeral Home, 187 Middlesex Ave., Wilmington tomorrow at 11 am with the Rev. George Taylor of the Congregational Church officiating. Burial will be in the Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

HERBERT E. LAWSON WAS NAVY VETERAN

Herbert E. Lawson, a resident of Wilmington for 28 years, 15 Parker Street, passed away suddenly at his residence on Sunday February 3rd.

Born in South Boston 64 years ago, Mr. Lawson was a member of the Merchant Marine serving as a mate on oil tankers for companies such as Texaco and Mobil Oil.

A U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, Mr. Lawson also served in the Merchant Marine during the war. He is survived by his wife Marion C. (Carr), a son Orrin Lawson and a daughter Evelyn Reichel of Augusta, Maine; two sisters, Mrs. Ann Mahoney of Quincy and Evelyn Lawson of Mattapan.

Funeral services were held from the Nichols Funeral Home, 187 Middlesex Ave., Wilmington on Wednesday at 10:00 am with the

Rev. George Taylor of the Congregational Church officiating. Burial took place in the veterans lot, Wildwood Cemetery.

Pall bearers for Mr. Lawson were Lester Marks, Thomas Leonard, Thomas Carboni, William Leonard, Paul Reichel and Orrin Lawson.

JAMES J. EVANS WAS G.E. DRAFTSMAN

James J. Evans, 47, husband of Mrs. Doris (Fitzgerald) Evans of 33 Kent St., Tewksbury, was pronounced dead on arrival at Lynn Hospital after he fell ill at the General Electric Company plant in Lynn where he worked as a draftsman.

Born in Everett, he was the son of the late James J. and the late Martha (McCarron) Evans, but resided in Tewksbury for many years.

A veteran of the U.S. Navy in World War II, he was a member of the Tewksbury Council 4336, Knights of Columbus.

In addition to his widow, he is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Raymond (Susan) Bouchard of Dracut, and Jane, Paula and Marjory Evans, all of Tewksbury; three sons, James J. Jr., David and John, all of Tewksbury; two sisters, Mrs. Thomas (Muriel) Casey of Everett and Mrs. Robert (Clare) King of Medford; two brothers, John and Edward, both of Florida, and a granddaughter.

A funeral Mass was held for him February 4 at St. William's Church in Tewksbury. Interment was in Tewksbury Cemetery.

MRS. URBANOWSKI WAS 87

Mrs. Kazimiera Katie Urbanowski of 80 Grove Ave., Wilmington died on Wednesday, January 30th at Winchester Hospital following a prolonged illness.

Mrs. Urbanowski, who was 87 years of age at the time of her death, was born in Poland, the daughter of the late Vincent and the late Antonia (Jasienski) Parczewski. She had lived in South Boston the greater part of her life, taking up residence in Wilmington 22 years ago.

Mrs. Urbanowski was the wife of the late Walenty J. Urbanowski and is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Carl (Genevieve H.) Sarica and her son, John W. Urbanowski both of Wilmington; her three grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

The funeral was held from the W.S. Kavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 324 Main St., Wilmington on Saturday morning at 8:15 followed by a funeral Mass at St. Thomas Church at 9:00, which was celebrated by the Rev. Francis W. Mackin. Burial took place in the family lot, New Calvary Cemetery, Boston.

HOSPITAL FUND

Relatives, friends and loved ones honored by contributions in their memory to the Wilmington Hospital Building Fund this week include:

Judy Klimarchuk Tenney lovingly remembered and sadly missed by her Klimarchuk Family.

Judy Klimarchuk Tenney on her first anniversary in Heaven lovingly remembered by Mr. and Mrs. Francis Nolan.

Marguerite R. Leonard, sister of Rita Dussault, from Rita's co-workers in Hanover: Howard S. Pearson, Richard F. Carnes, George J. Devlin, Sidney S. Herrick, Walter D. Jones, Arli Ash, Lillian, George and Margaret Cane.

Marguerite R. Leonard from Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tarnos (Hanover).

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Marguerite R. Leonard, mother of Debbie Leonard from Leean Sadowski.

Lionel Shaw from Mrs. Clifford H. Happer.

Doris Gough, mother of Mrs. Janice Rudnicki from Mr. and Mrs. James Davey.

Joseph Fortin (Lawrence) from Mr. and Mrs. James Davey.

Crescenzo Tamburri (Stoneham) from the Francis McKenna Family.

Paul Willett (Woburn) from the Francis McKenna Family.

Florida M.C. Cullen (Lowell) sister of Mrs. Barbara Pierce from Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sadowski.

Florida M.C. Cullen (Lowell) from the Wilmington Educational Secretary's Association.

Florida Vail Cullen (Cullen) sister of Mrs. Barbara Pierce from Mr. and Mrs. David E. Anderson.

Bernard Teliszewski (Dorchester) from Mr. and Mrs. Kazimer Zengilowski.

Herbert E. Lawson, father of Evelyn Reichel and Orrin Lawson from Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Reiche, Augusta, Maine.

Ellen Perry from Mrs. Freeman Fougere.

Terry A. Silvers from Mr. and Mrs. Francis Nolan.

Mrs. Harold Cassell, mother of Mrs. Florence Simmons (N.H.) from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. McCabe (N.H.).

Other Tewksbury's abbey needs repairs

The town of Tewksbury in England has asked residents of her sister town in Massachusetts to contribute funds to be used in restoring historic Tewksbury Abbey. The Abbey needs \$434,000 in repairs, officials of the English town report.

Half of the needed funds have already been completed. The local borough council in England contributed \$108,500 toward the cost, and residents of Tewksbury and surrounding towns have contributed an equal sum.

Candidates night set for Feb. 22

Loella Dewing School will be the location for the 12th Annual Candidates Night Friday, February 22 at 8 p.m.

The Tewksbury League of Women Voters invites every resident of Tewksbury to attend. Mrs. Alan Korpi and Mrs. Richard DeVivo will serve as co-chairmen.

Every candidate for town office has been invited to attend the forum, where citizens can hear them speak and ask them questions.

Births

LYNCH: Kathryn Elizabeth and Julie Lorraine, third and fourth daughters to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Lynch of New Bedford (formerly of Wilmington) on January 23rd in New Bedford.

BARKER: Donald William, second child, first son to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barker of 1 Dadant Drive, Wilmington on February 1 at Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. William Foss, Sr. of Pelham, N.H., and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Barker of Manchester, N.H.

PERRY: Christine May, second child, first daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Brian Perry of 82 Pollard St., Billerica on January 26th at Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martell of 58 Middlesex Ave., Wilmington and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Perry of Silvestry Circle, Derry, N.H.

PLUMER: Kristen Michele to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Plumer of 32 Elliott Street Reading on January 26th at Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Fitzpatrick of Stoneham.

POLOIAN: Sean Richard, second child, first son to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Poloian of 79 North St., Andover on January 24th at Lawrence General Hospital.

Grandparents include Herbert Campbell of Billerica and Mr. and Mrs. John S. Poloian Washington Ave., Wilmington.

Great grandparents are Mrs. Edith B. Gillette of Lowell, Perry Campbell of Brighton and Mrs. Frances Driscoll of Watertown.

VOLPE: Marissa Ann, first child to Mr. and Mrs. Dennis J. Volpe of 8 Reed Street, Wilmington on January 29th at Melrose-Wakefield Hospital.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Panteli Leach of 40 Appleton St., No. Quincy and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Volpe of 45 Willow St., Wollaston.

In Memoriam

Beside your grave I sometimes stand and try so hard to understand The tears in my eyes I wipe away but the pain in my heart is here to stay.

I'd give so much to hear your voice to hear you say hello. I'd give so much to clasp your hand to see you smile and glow.

I'd give so much to have a chat the way we used to do. Only God knows what I'd give for just the sight of you.

If an aching heart could bring you back or tears could make you smile You would not be in that lonely grave but home here by my side.

You always thought of others and I often sit and wonder do others think of you.

And when I'm sad and lonely and everything goes wrong I seem to hear you whisper cheer up and carry on.

Each time I see your picture you seem to smile and say Don't cry, I'm only sleeping.

We will meet again some day. When nights are long and friends are few.

I often sit and think of you. With broken heart and many a year I often wish that you were here.

Lots of things have happened Since you went away. Things you could have shared me If God had let you stay.



On-Judy (Klimarchuk) Tenney's first anniversary in Heaven. Mother, Father, Sister Karen, Brothers Joseph and John. Sisters-in-law Pauline and Pat, and her three nephews and her niece.

An Anniversary Mass at St. Thomas Church, 12 noon, Sunday, February 10th.

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SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

TEWKSBURY SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS

MONDAY: American Chop Suey, Carrot and Cabbage Slaw, Hot Rolls and butter, Peanut Butter Cookie and Milk.
Tuesday: Fish Sticks, Whipped Potato, Buttered Vegetable, Hot Rolls and Butter, Frosted Cake and Milk.
Wednesday: Oven Fried Chicken, Whipped Potato, Parsley Carrots, Rolls and butter, Pudding and Milk.
Thursday: Hamburger on a Roll, French Fries, Orange Jello and Milk.
Friday: Juice, Tomato and Cheese Pizza, Carrot and Celery Sticks, Ice Cream and Milk.

SHAWHEEEN TECH MENUS

Monday: Spaghetti and Meatballs, Grated-Parmesan-Cheese, Hot Buttered Roll, Buttered-Green Beans, Pudding with Topping and Milk - or - Orange Juice, Frankfort in a Buttered Roll, Baked Beans, Cabbage, Carrot and Pineapple Salad, Pudding with Topping and Milk.
Tuesday: Salisbury Steak and Gravy, Whipped Potato, Buttered Peas, Hot Buttered Roll, Jello with Topping and Milk - Vegetable Soup, Baked Fish Portion on buttered Roll, Potato Chips, Peach Half on Lettuce, Dessert and Milk.
Wednesday: Orange Juice, Pot Luck, Midnight Chocolate Cake and Milk - or - Vegetable Beef Soup, Turkey Salad on Buttered Roll, Garden Salad, Chocolate Cake and Milk.
Thursday: Baked Fish Portion, Macaroni and Cheese Casserole, Cabbage and Carrot Slaw, Hot Buttered Roll, Fruit and Milk - or - Orange Juice, Barbecued Beef on Buttered Roll, Cabbage and Carrot Slaw, Fruit and Milk.
Friday: New England Clam Chowder, Cheese and Tomato pizza, Garden Salad, Ice Cream and Milk - or - New England Clam Chowder, Tuna Salad on Buttered Roll, Potato Chips, Garden Salad, Ice Cream and Milk.

WILMINGTON SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENUS

Walker, Whitefield, Swain and Bassett Schools
Monday: Juice, American Style Pizza, Potato Sticks, Wax Beans, Toll House Square and Milk.
Tuesday: American Chop Suey, Cole Slaw, French Bread and butter, Jiffy Cookies and Milk.

Wednesday: Tomato-Alphabet Soup, Carrot and Celery Sticks, Peanut Butter and Marshmallow or Bally Sandwich, Scooter Pie or Cookies and Milk.
Thursday: Meatball Sub, Potato Chips, Shoestring Carrots, Jello with Topping and Milk.
Friday: Juice, Tuna Salad Roll, Fluffy Rice, Peas and Carrots, Ice Cream and Milk.

Wildwood, Woburn St., Glen Rd., Montwell and Shawheen Schools
Monday: American Chop Suey, Green Beans, Peanut Butter Sandwich, Jiffy Cookies and Milk.
Tuesday: Chicken Croquette, Gravy, Mashed Potato, Peas, Cranberry Sauce, French Bread and butter, Ice Cream and Milk.
Wednesday: Juice, American Style Pizza, Potato Chips, Whole

Kernel Corn, Midnight Chocolate Cake and Milk.
Thursday: Meatball Sub, Fluffy Rice, Shoestring Carrots, Scooter Pie or Cookies and Milk.
Friday: Juice, Tuna Salad Roll, French Fries, Peas, Jello with Topping and Milk.
High School, North and West Intermediate Schools
Monday: Juice, Cheeseburger on

Buttered Roll, Buttered Noodles, Green or Wax Beans, Toll House Square and Milk.
Tuesday: American Chop Suey, Cole Slaw, French Bread and Butter, Jello with Topping and Milk.
Wednesday: Bakes Sausage, Applesauce, Mashed Potato, Whole Kernel Corn, Cornbread and Butter, Scooter Pie or Cookies and Milk.

Milk.
Thursday: Meatball Sub, Potato Chips, Shoestring Carrots, Applesauce Cake with Topping and Milk.
Friday: Juice, Fishburger with Tartar Sauce or Tuna Salad Roll, Parsley Potatoes, Peas, Ice Cream and Milk.

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FRED BURNHAM PATIENT, CHOATE MEMORIAL
 Fred Burnham of 21 Birchwood Road, Wilmington is currently a patient at Choate Memorial Hospital, Woburn where he underwent surgery on Tuesday morning.
 Mr. Burnham expects to be hospitalized for approximately ten days.

NATIONAL BRANDS SALE!

now all this week at your
Finast and 'Big Buy' Supermarkets!

Finast
 All Stores Open
 8 AM Mon. thru Sat.

HEINZ Ketchup

Keg 0' 32 oz Bot

58c

LADDIE BOY Dog Food

3 1/4 lb Pkg

79c

RICHMOND Butter

also Corn Country Solid 1 lb Pkg

89c

COLD POWER

For the Laundry 8 oz Pkg

75c

BIRDS EYE Orange Juice

100% Pure From Florida 16 oz Can Frozen

59c

FREE! (1) 46 oz Can Any Flavor

Finast Drink

with this coupon and \$5 purchase or more exclusive of cigarette and tobacco products Good thru Feb. 9, 1974 Limit one coupon per customer

Gold Medal Flour

5 lb Bag

59c

with this coupon and \$5 purchase or more exclusive of cigarette and tobacco products Good thru Feb. 9, 1974 Limit one coupon per customer

SAVE 20c With This Coupon

20c OFF

the purchase of (1) pkg of 2 Any Size Westinghouse

Light Bulbs

with this coupon and \$5 purchase or more exclusive of cigarette and tobacco products Good thru Feb. 9, 1974 Limit one coupon per customer

Frozen Food Features!

Freezer Queen Skillet Dinners

Chop Suey w/Beef, Rice Oriental, Macaroni w/Beef In Cheese Sauce, Macaroni Shells w/Beef in Chili, Noodles w/Beef or Noodles w/Beef in Stroganoff Sauce

16 oz Pkg	59c
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Sara Lee Dewkist Birds Eye Taste O'Sea Celeste Birds Eye Banquet Hendrie's Mortons	Chocolate Pound Cake 11 1/2 oz 89c Red Raspberries 2 10 oz 1 Mixed Vegetables with Onions 2 10 oz 79c Seafood Puffer 9 oz 69c Bambino Deluxe Pizza 10 oz 75c French Style Green Beans w/Onions 2 10 oz 79c Fried Chicken 32 oz 2.19 Florida Juice Bars 12 ct 85c Apple Danish 9 oz 59c
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Dairy Features From Finast!

Borden's Cheese

Sliced American Individually Wrapped 8 oz Pkg

69c

Kraft Cracker Barrel

Sharp Cheddar Cheese Spread 8 oz Pkg

73c

Baby Edam Cheese Cooper C.V. Mozzarella Orange Juice	Finast 7 oz 79c Cheddar Cheese 8 oz stick 71c Cheese 8 oz 85c Sargento Shredded 8 oz 37c Finast 100% Pure 32 oz cont
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Oven Fresh From Our Bakery!

FREE Bagels

Onion or Plain Buy 1 Pkg at Regular Price Get 1 Pkg Free

12 oz Pkg	54c
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Junior Pies English Muffins Buttermilk Bread	All Varieties 6 4 oz 1 4 8 oz 1 22 oz 41c
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SAVE \$1.04 This Week With These Coupons

SAVE 30c

Yuban Coffee

Regular Grind 1 lb Can

95c

with this coupon Good thru Feb. 9, 1974 Limit one coupon per customer

SAVE 15c	SAVE 30c
Frenchs Instant Mashed Potatoes 13 oz 58c	Red Rose Tea Bags 100 ct 89c
SAVE 15c	SAVE 14c
Glad Wrap Plastic 100 ft roll 18c	Promise Soft Margarine 1 lb pkg of 2 8 oz 55c

with this coupon Good thru Feb. 9, 1974 Limit one coupon per customer

NO SHORTAGE

Valentines Chocolates Candy Gifts Stuffed Animals

We have choice gifts for every member of the family.
 FREE GIFT WRAPPING
 FREE LAY-AWAY
 Harry Sandler, Reg. Ph.
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 658-3353

HOME OWNERS CORNER

Mr. BERRY
 Carpenter's levels are used to test to see whether or not the vertical and horizontal surfaces of the work are true and level.
 When the level is set on a flat surface, a bubble set in a tube of liquid shows whether or not the surface is true. The liquid is adjusted to the gravitational pull of the earth.
 Do not drop the level on the ground or floor. Store it carefully so that other tools do not bang against it.
 The knowledgeable staff at Sweeney Home Courtesy Center, 215 Main St., Wilmington, 658-2051 can show you how to do a job. We have been in business for many years and our personnel are always pleased to assist you in the purchase of supplies or the explanation of how to get a job done. BankAmericard and Master Charge honored and we provide free delivery. Crystal Ceramic tile, Ly-Ka-Brite and Ly-Ka-Stone hand crafted wall facings are available. Open Daily 9 am - 5 pm.
 Helpful Hint: Place the level on a surface. The bubble should show in the exact center of the tube.

TURKEYS

U.S. Grade A Oven Ready 10 to 16 lbs Limit One Please

53c

So That There May Be Enough For All

FRESH CHICKEN QUARTERS

Breast Quarters Tender White Meat Breast & Wing	55c	Leg Quarters Tasty Dark Meat Drumstick & Thigh	49c
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Chicken in Basket

Tyson's Frozen Heat & Serve 2 lb Pkg

\$1.99

Chicken Breasts

Brookside Farms - Boneless Skinless - All White Meat 1 lb

\$1.59

Crisp Rite Brand Sliced Bacon Armour Hot Dogs Nepco Knockwurst Clausen's Pickles	1 lb pkg 99c Skintless \$1.09 \$1.39 Whole or sliced 32 oz jar 89c	Uniformly Sliced Beef Liver Colonial Knockwurst Colonial Bologna Colonial Bologna	79c \$1.29 All 1 lb 1.09 Regular 1 lb 1.09
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Prices effective in Peabody, Bx. Reading, Southdale & Hyde Park only. Wed. Feb. 6 thru Sat. Feb. 9, 1974 We reserve the right to limit quantities.

Mr. Deli Features!

Pastrami Chicken Roll Cooked Roast Beef White Bread Mr. Deli Liverwurst	New York Style All White Meat Mr. Deli 2 loaves 1/2 lb 79c 1/2 lb 89c 1/2 lb 79c 2 75c 1/2 lb 65c
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International Seafood!

Bay Scallops Cod Fillet Ocean Perch Frozen Squid Turbot Fillet	Fresh 3 lb 1.99 Tails O'Sea Frozen 3 lb 3.55 Fillet Frozen 3 lb 4.50 Cleaned Ready to Cook 2 1/2 lb 12.29 Frozen 85c
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Available only in stores with service delis.

First O' The Fresh

Lettuce 29c

California Iceberg One Price Only head 39c

Butternut Squash Juicy Tomato Oranges	7c 12-59c	Peppers Pascal Celery Radishes	39c 35c 2 25c
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NO. READING - Route 28 Next to Grants

Chapter 766

The proper name for it is the Hartley-Daley Special Education Act of 1972. More familiarly it is referred to as Chapter 766, because it was Chapter 766 of the Acts of 1972 of the Massachusetts Legislature.

Chapter 766 is by this time familiar with the educators and school committees of Massachusetts. The Finance Committees, in the towns, and the voters and taxpayers are just beginning to learn of it. There are those who feel it will be a disaster, financially.

Their feelings are based on a premise that it is not yet proven, that between \$50 and 100 millions will be spent in Massachusetts in the first year of the Special Education Act, which starts in September 1974.

Only \$9 million has been recommended in the state budget for direct reimbursement to the towns and cities. There are other monies that have been allocated, too, in other categories, but the total does not come close to the amount that some expect the Special Education Act to cost.

As it is written, the law does not take up many paragraphs, but as the explanations come up they are pages long. One, by the state Department of Education is reported to take 106 pages.

The law provides that every youngster in Massachusetts, whatever the status of that youngster, is entitled to an education. The age limits are set at 3, and up to 21.

It will be up to the towns and cities to provide that education, the Special Educations for students who are blind, deaf, emotionally disturbed, educationally handicapped, or are physically unable to attend the regular schools of the communities.

The law provides that, for the first five years, there will be repayment from the Commonwealth for the monies spent over and above the average cost of educating an individual, in the cities and towns. The compensation will be at a rate of 110 percent. The idea is to allow the towns and cities to build up a "bank" in those five years, which will then carry the costs for following years.

Massachusetts has had, for years, provisions for the education of mentally retarded, or emotionally disturbed youngsters. There have been special classes, in towns and cities, and in state institutions. Some have called those classes "warehouses existing for the convenience of a system unable or unwilling to cope with those who are different."

The new law is largely the work of Rep. Michael J. Daly of Boston, House Chairman of the Education Committee, and House Speaker David M. Bartley. It has been studied and debated, and re-written four times.

The law provides that school committees shall provide or arrange for the provision of every program that falls within one of nine special prototypes. These are:

1. An educational guidance program designed for children with special needs.
2. A career education program designed for children with special needs including opportunities for participation in a work-study program.
3. Regular educational programs with supportive services provided by itinerant specialists.
4. Education programs in which a child divides his or her time between a resource classroom and regular classes.
5. Education programs in which a child spends substantially all of his or her time in special education classes.
6. Education programs provided to the child at home, or at a hospital or treatment center within the city, town or school district.
7. Education programs for children of age three to kindergarten age who have substantial disabilities.
8. Education programs in which the child is placed outside of the city, town or school district.
9. Medical or psychological services provided to the child and social services

provided to the child's family, as a part of a special education program within prototypes through to this paragraph.

The above may possibly be not understood by some readers. It is, admittedly, written in the special jargon employed today by educators. The provisions are wide in scope. Point 8, for instance, allows for educational programs outside the town or school district. Some say this definition includes the County Jail - in other words, a town must provide for the education of an inmate of that institution, if he happens to be under 21 years of age.

The school committees may do this, for they may enter into agreements with other school committees jointly or collectively to provide the program, so long as such program is provided in a public school. They may also enter into agreement with any private school or public or private agency for materials, personnel, technical assistance and other services.

For each child there must be an evaluation, at least once a year, and more frequently under certain circumstances. Five persons take part in this evaluation. One type of evaluation is called Full Core, and the other Intermediate. Every child, between the ages of three and 21, has a right to a Full Core evaluation, and it is required for any child with any indications of substantial or severe multiple special needs.

For the purpose of making such Full Core examinations each school committee has to assemble and hold available a Core Evaluation Team, (CET), which must meet at least monthly.

When a CET assesses a child there shall be assessment by a physician, there shall be an appropriate psychological examination, an assessment by a registered graduate nurse or school guidance counselor or adjustment counselor, or a social worker. If necessary the CET can utilize further special assessments in neurology, audiology, ophthalmology, optometry, language pathology, learning disorders, child psychiatry, etc.

An estimate of costs, for these services, may be made at \$25 an hour, per person. For a CET examination the costs seem to be at \$250 for a minimum, for each child. There is much more. There are provisions for appeals; for instance, from the CET decisions. There are provisions for special educational programs for a child. The parents, or the CET may reject such programs, and there are provisions where such rejection may be eventually before the superior court, and that the court be authorized to place the child in an appropriate educational program.

It is to be noted that the parents may disagree with CET or other agencies, relative to the evaluation of a child, but in such a case the parents, not the school district, shall pay for further evaluations.

Costs

All of these programs need money. Wilmington, in the Fiscal 1975 year, expects to spend \$374,341 for the Special Education provisions, a figure which has expanded 50% over that year which ends in June.

Of this sum \$45,000 is expected to go to the Core Evaluation Team (CET) for tests. Original programming is expected to take \$28,904. It is expected that the cost of out-of-town tuition will come to \$80,000. There are now (Fiscal 1974) 440 children getting Special Education, in Wilmington. Next year i.e. Fiscal 1975 (starting July 1) the number is estimated to be 660.

The Tewksbury school department is still reviewing special education programs for Fiscal 1975, and no final figures on costs are available yet.

Edward J. Farley, assistant superintendent for curriculum and instruction, reports 497 Tewksbury children are receiving special education now. That figure will jump to an estimated 900 in the school year beginning this coming September.

Burning gas while you wait

Since a week ago many things have happened to gladden and sadden the heart of the observer, as the newest species of homo sapiens, the Gas Hunter, has been roaming the highways.

Your columnist cannot vouch for this tale. It was told by a third person, but on Monday some driver was supposed to have gotten into a line, in a Wakefield gas station, by the unusual way of backing in.

An enraged fellow motorist let him have it - not with his fist but with his car. A full power ramming, midships. Car number two, which had been backed in, is reported to have been, in the jargon of police and garagemen, totaled.

And of course everyone has heard the tales of the young people who go down the gas lines collect-

ing money in advance of sales, so as to "speed things up." No one ever sees them again, and they were not, of course, working for the gas station.

Wednesday morning in Tewksbury there seemed to be along Main Street only one gas station that had any business, the Mobil station near Shawsheen Street. Other stations were closed, except Haffners, where there were six cars waiting for service.

It was the same all the way down Main Street to Wilmington Center. Stations closed, or only a few cars in line waiting for gas. All was quiet.

But it wasn't quite that way in North Wilmington. The Shell Station, shortly before 8 am had a line of cars stretched out for nearly

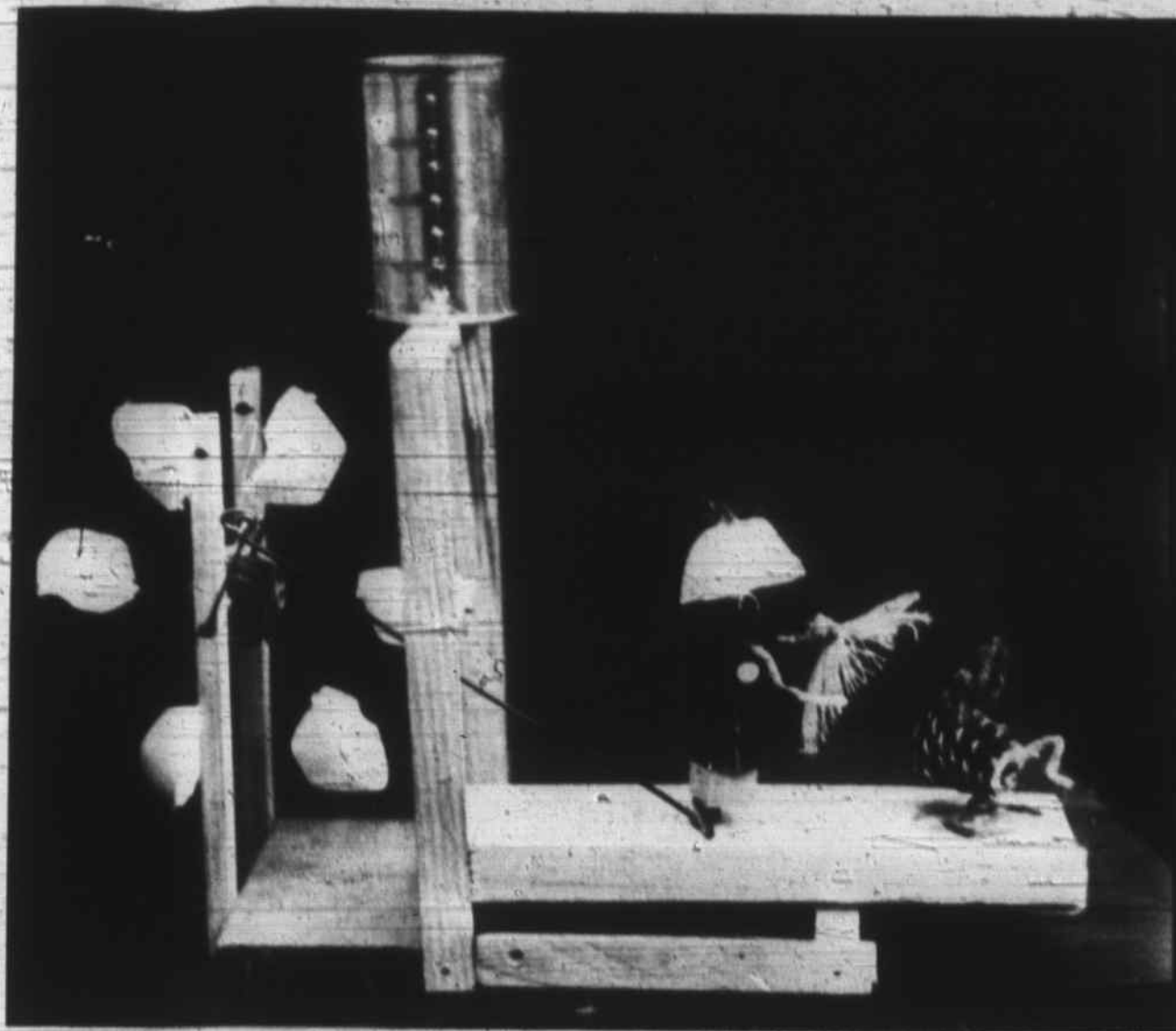
half a mile, and all inching their way forward (eastward). Cars coming from the east were not served, for they blocked the way to the doors of other business.

The D & D Gulf, across the street, had their own particular story.

D & D generally does not open up until about 8 am. Wednesday morning Doug was down early - about 7:45.

It was well that he was. Cars had been waiting in line for more than half an hour - perhaps 20 or 40. All had been stationary, but in every case the motor was running to keep the heater on - the temperature was hovering around 10 degrees. Probably each of those motorists burned half a gallon of gas, while they were waiting.

GENIUS AT WORK



MECHANICAL TOY: Put water in can, water turns water wheel, water wheel moves man, man chases turkey with net.

Cub Scout Pack 56, sponsored by the Congregational Church of Wilmington had a "Genius Night" recently. The results were stimulating.

Each boy had received a list of materials he could use, to produce his own creation. He could use only those materials, none other.

He could also use his dad, and any tool, but the work was supposed to be his own genius.

Then the boy had to bring the results of his thinking - and his dad, to the Cub Scout Meeting.

Genius Materials
(One tin can (16 oz. size), three pine cones (any type), three

plastic milk bottle caps, one coat hanger, two scrap wood blocks (2" x 6" x 10"), two screws, six nails, three pieces of sponge, four buttons, six pipe cleaners, one styrofoam egg carton, two rubber bands, some glue, twelve tacks, three pieces of scrap leather or vinyl (each 2" x 6") and one net onion bag.

The the reader will notice that there are three, not four plastic milk caps in that list. That was to prevent any genius from coming too easily - no ordinary four wheeled vehicles were to be allowed!

Winners
Richard DeWilde of Woburn

Street is now a Certified Genius. He won the first prize, which represents a farmer trying to catch a turkey, as shown above.

Richard is now declared to be a First Cousin to Thomas Alva Edison, or maybe Rube Goldberg. Second prize winner, it should be recorded was Gary Holbrook, and third prize winner was Michael Potenza.

Shawsheen Tech introduces James Carroll

A new theme in area education of youngsters was introduced to the public last Thursday when James Carroll, a man with a dozen years of working with youth, was introduced to the school Superintendents of the five area towns from which come the students of the Shawsheen Valley Technical High School. Mr. Carroll has the title of Area Co-ordinator, and he will be co-ordinating the educational activities of the five towns, Bedford, Billerica, Burlington, Tewksbury and Wilmington with the activities of Shawsheen Tech.

For three weeks Mr. Carroll, who lives in Chelmsford, has been busy visiting the school of the five towns and talking with area educators. "I'm impressed with the people I've met" he says. "They appear to know what they want."

Superintendent-Director Benjamin Wolk of Shawsheen Tech speaks of Carroll as being the liaison between the local schools and the regional school. Carroll says he has learned all the roads of the five town area, in becoming that liaison.

He is a man who has had twelve years as an educator, in industrial arts, who for the past eight years has been advancing Industrial Arts in the Andover School System, and who has been the president of a non-profit organization in Andover

designed on educational improvement, and better coordination between private and public school educators.

His problem, as he sees it, is to identify the educational programs which already exist in the five towns, and then see to it that the five area school systems and the regional vocational school operate as a single district. In this, he feels, the individual strengths that he finds must be utilized as much as possible.

This does not mean to Carroll that any of the towns will cease to operate or exist as a separate educational system. He says that if a student at Shawsheen Tech finds that he can benefit more from a course in his home town school, he should be able to attend that course in conjunction with the



JAMES CARROLL (left) with Benjamin Wolk, Superintendent-Director of Shawsheen Tech and Woburn High, Chairman of the School Committee.

program at Shawsheen Tech. He has to identify the target groups with their shared objectives, as he puts it in educator's jargon. This, he defined, as meeting with practically every member of the administrative staffs, as well as department heads in the schools of the five towns.

After the groups have been established, there will be travel

routes to be determined, according to the resources available.

The travel routes, he explained, could mean the way a student starts from the eighth grade in, say, a Burlington school, and finally emerges from the twelfth grade with a clearer understanding of what he or she wants to do. To Carroll the problem is not just to provide more skilled craftspeople,

but to have more students emerge from any of the five member high schools or Shawsheen Tech with a direction in mind.

Occupational education, to him, is but slightly different from the term general education. Education should encompass all forms, whether a student is to emerge as a carpenter or as a writer.

MICO MEETS THE VEEP



VICE PRESIDENT, Gerald R. Ford holds the original portrait here-relief created by Mico Kaufman, left, of Tewksbury, while Mrs. Ford looks on. Allen was commissioned to do the sculpture by the Madell Art Company of Danbury, Connecticut, which company produced the official Vice Presidential Inaugural Medals in bronze, silver and vermeil.

Mico was invited to Washington a couple of weeks ago, to be the guest of the Vice President and Mrs. Ford.

Mico Kaufman is no stranger to the readers of the Town Crier. The Tewksbury sculptor was commissioned to prepare the dimensional models for the Gerald R. Ford Vice Presidential Inaugural Medal. He put into that work nearly thirty years of experience and creative talent to produce two plaster reliefs quickly. By working day and night, virtually around the clock, Mico Kaufman accomplished two months work in ten days time.

Most difficult, under these conditions, is to produce a satisfactory portrait. Artists agree portraits are the most meticulous of all medallion work; not only must they capture the likeness of the subject in bas-relief, but they must also present the person's personality as well. Mr. Kaufman's portrait of Vice President Ford does both.

Mico Kaufman was born in Rumania in 1924. His education was interrupted by World War II and he was interned in a forced labor concentration camp in his native land. In 1947, as a refugee, he received a scholarship to the Academy of Fine Arts, in Rome, where he spent three years. After an additional study of a year in Florence he arrived in America in 1951 at the age of 27.

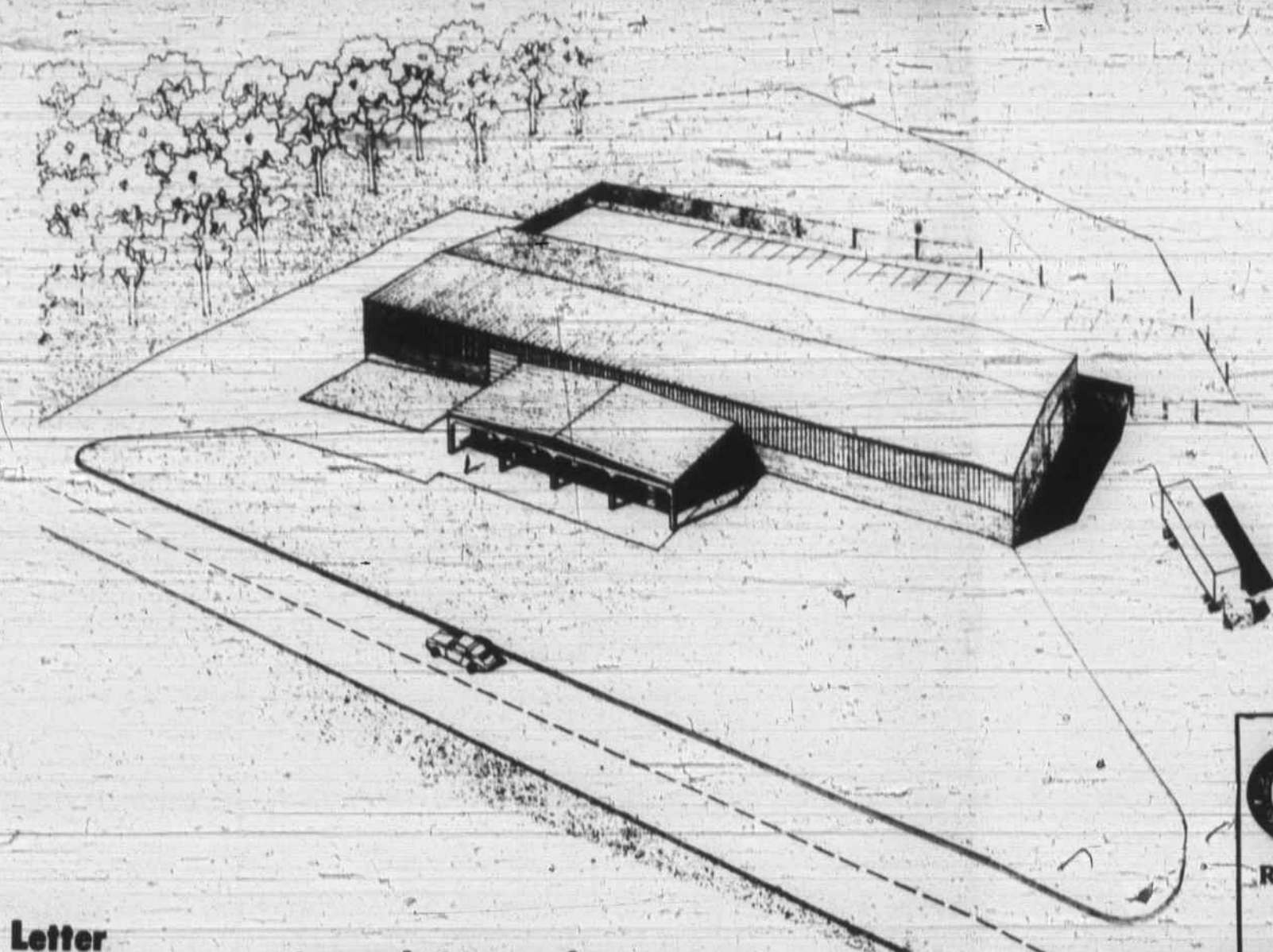
His first artistic work in this country was for the Boston

Caproni Galleries, and he executed commercial sculpture for Tyrone Studios, but not until he had first worked in a machine shop and in a raincoat factor. As a self-employed sculptor he did much decorative art, working in plastic, fiberglass, stainless steel and bronze.

After he had become a U.S. Citizen Mr. Kaufman produced an over-sized head of Louis Brandeis, a large bas-relief emblematic of Youth for a New England college, and the head of Aristotle for a Greek-American organization, among numerous other works.

His medallion production has been prodigious. His most notable to date is an ongoing series of 200 medals on the history of the Danbury Mint, a project scheduled to be completed by 1976. He produced the 87th issue for the prestigious Society of Medalists, a fine art medal featuring Peace. He produced the convention medal for the American Numismatic Association meeting in Boston.

Mico Kaufman has received the Alma and Ulysses Ricci Award for the best conservative sculpture in 1967; the R.V.T. Stevens Award for most outstanding work in sculpture in 1969 and 1972; first prize from the North Shore Art Association in Gloucester, and bronze medals from the Concord and Rockport art organizations.



Letter

Dear Mr. Neilson:

It was the decision of the DPW Study Committee to have under one responsible jurisdiction (the Board of Selectmen) all programs of a public work nature.

The present organization structure for public works programs encourages each organization unit under the jurisdiction of separate elected commissioners to provide its own complement of manpower and machinery. There is no provision for the automatic exchange of such items as there is no central authority which can assign personnel or machinery to balance peaks and valleys in the overall work load.

More advantages under the proposed consolidation are:

Budget requests should be submitted earlier permitting more thorough study by the Finance Committee.

A DPW administrative official will be available full time.

Cost accounting can be utilized as an effective management tool if standardized for all service functions.

Additionally, as the present public works functions grow, (this year the water and highway departments are requesting a total of 10 new personnel), it is recognized in the field of public works that lack of flexibility in the public works departments occurs with a decentralized form of local government such as existing in Tewksbury.

Mark Wood, Chmn.
DPW Study Committee

Jewel Manufacturing reveals plans

The Jewel Manufacturing Company of Wilmington, largest manufacturer in New England of camper tops and pick up truck covers have announced their plans in relocating and expanding their plant to East Street, in Tewksbury.

The management of Jewel Manufacturing, along with the contractor, Merrimac Valley Builders have designed a building which is a combination of steel and cement block, and which will provide an attractive structure as well as a versatile and functional facility.

Under the management of Robert Bertwell and William Myers, the manufacturing floor space has increased from the original 600 feet in the original location in Woburn, to over 20,000 square feet in the new location in Tewksbury.

The company is expanding as a recreational vehicle manufacturer in spite of the energy crisis. Due to its strong management emphasis the company has had an average business growth of 50 percent since incorporation in 1967, a trend which, at this time, it is anticipated will continue.

Jewel camper tops are presently being distributed throughout the New England area and eastern New York state by a network of recreational vehicle dealers. With additional manufacturing capacity in their new location further penetration and market saturation is planned for the coming year. Since the new building has been designed Jewel plans call for the installation of a complete aluminum sheet out line, giving

the company the capability of cutting, forming and fabricating aluminum sheet stock. It is anticipated that eventual employment will rise to 50 employees.

CPL JOHN INGARRA IS IN JAPAN

Marine Cpl. John J. Ingarrar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Angelo F. Ingarrar of 1 Starbird Ave., Tewksbury has reported for duty at the U.S. Marine Corps Air Station at Iwakuni, Japan.

A 1971 graduate of Tewksbury Memorial High School, he joined the Marine Corps in September 1971.

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JOIN THOSE JUNIORS

Be in on the start of a new federated junior women's club in Wilmington. Any young woman 18 years or older is eligible to join.

This club will be a part of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs. Junior Membership.

The Massachusetts Federation is part of the General Federation of Women's Clubs and as such enjoys the privileges of belonging to an organization serving millions of women from all parts of the world.

Please come to the first meeting and bring a friend. 8:00 pm, Feb. 11th, at 8 Carter Lane, Wilmington.
IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ATTENDING
PLEASE CONTACT Mrs. James Sullivan, 658-5714

Spring Cut Canadian FIREWOOD
658-3385 or
WILL DELIVER 658-3432

CAR CORNER by Vern Johnson

Did you know that you can unwittingly increase the wear and tear on your car's engine with one very simple action? Racing the engine just before you shut off the transmission will increase your engine wear by causing a wash of raw gasoline in the cylinder.

Long ago, this was a habit of drivers who believed their engines would start better if they were raced just before they were shut off. Raw gasoline eats away the film of oil used to protect the cylinders.

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NOTICE

To allay current rumors, Lloyd Bender announced this week the affiliation of his insurance and travel agencies with the Volunteer Insurance Agency, at Burlington.

Lloyd feels this new affiliation will provide his customers broader services and programs. A new billing system, faster claim service, new life insurance and financial planning programs, and new and different travel programs are contemplated. In addition, Lloyd will be backed by the team from Volunteer.

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LAWRENCE - Tuesdays 9:30 AM & 7:30 PM
Holiday Inn, Interstate 495 at Route 114

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Miss Sabra J. Carter The lady who gave a clock to Wilmington

It was 100 years ago that the good people of Wilmington were rebuilding the steeple of the Congregational Church. It has blown down, in the September 1873 hurricane, and Mrs. Dr. Frances Hiller had announced that she would pay for all the costs of rebuilding.

Trees were cut and taken to Clapp's Mill down in the Garden of Eden. There they were cut into the massive timbers that frame the steeple of that church. It is on record that the teamster who brought the timbers to the church was William Henry Carter II, better known as Bill Hen II. Everyone pitched in to help, of course, for Mrs. Dr. Hiller was going to pay all the bills.

It cannot be proven, but it must have been just about 100 years ago that Miss Sabra J. Carter gave a clock to the town, to be put into that steeple.

There is no exact record that the writer has seen, but give the clock she did, that is certain. If she had given the clock before the steeple blew down it probably would have been smashed. Logically, it seems, Sabra was sort of matching, in a feminine way, the gift of Mrs. Dr. Hiller.

The difference was that Sabra paid for the clock, and Mrs. Dr. Hiller did not pay for the steeple. Old Benjamin Buck ended up paying for the steeple, and he took a mortgage on the church parsonage for \$5,000 which he later gave back.

Sabra was quite a girl. She had her likes, and she had her dislikes, and among the latter was liquor, tobacco, and dogs. She liked to speak French, and Latin, and Greek, and she liked flowers.

Sabra was born back in 1821, up on Nichols Street, in a home that stood just about where the new Nichols Street bridge is today. Her father was Timothy, and her mother was Sabra Jaques, of the old Hugenot family. The house in which she was born was burned down in 1837, from sparks that flew over from a locomotive - one of the first of such types of fires in Wilmington, for the railroad was only two years old at that time.

After her father died Sabra and her mother were living in a home that is now numbered 95 Middlesex Avenue. Perhaps the whole family moved down after the first home burned. Anyway Sabra and Sabra J. were the two ladies who lived in that home for forty odd years.

separating church and state, and only the clock then belonged to the town, a fact continued for many years, until about fifteen years ago when the Town Meeting voted to give the clock to the Congregational Church.

It was probably after her mother died that Sabra went to Europe, for a three months stay in France and Switzerland - the only trip she ever made abroad. Speaking French, she should have found things congenial, but after three months she returned.

It was when she returned that she set the town agog. She owned ten shares of Lombard Investment Company, twenty shares of Denver Electric Light Company and twenty shares of the Howard State Bank, in Kansas. The value was about \$5,000 - which was a lot of money in those days. She proposed to give those to the town, and in return the town was to spend the income on a number of items.

The income from the Lombard Investment stock was to be used in painting the homes of the townspeople, as needed, except that no one who owned a dog, or who had owned one for the past two years could apply. Neither could a person apply if he had ever used tobacco. Furthermore, he must be a member of a temperance society.

The income from the Denver Electric Light was to be used - one half for providing the public library with books about scientific subjects, and about travel, and the other half for providing for a series of lectures on scientific subjects - but the lectures must be on a Wednesday afternoon.

The Howard State Bank income was to be divided into eight parts.



CHIEF HILL'S HOUSE: Fifty years ago this imposing home stood behind what is now Weinberg's store, and was the home of Wilmington's Chief of Police. Nearly 100 years ago it was a part of the home of Sabra Carter, half a mile away on Middlesex Avenue. It was moved down, as was the house beside it, after Sabra's death, when her home was cut into three parts.



THE HOME OF SABRA CARTER: Of all that remains of it, it was just in the fields nearby that she cultivated her flowers and grew the seeds which she packaged and sold. It was the first to do so in the United States.

described as being "lavender." It was alleged that Sabra was insane, but the judge did not so rule. He did observe that she was just a "queer character."

The executors of her will found that they were not able to abide by the provisions. They sold the house at public auction, and all the

belongings, and probably divided the estate as they felt was just. And that was about eighty years ago.

Carter Lecture to be presented on April 4

The Sarah D. J. Carter Lecture Committee of Wilmington have made arrangements to present a lecture on The Voyages of the Ra, with Norman Baker. The lecture will be presented in the Herbert C. Barrows Auditorium of Wilmington High School on April 4th at 8:15 pm.

Norman Baker, navigator and radioman, was the second in command to the Norwegian explorer and scientist Thor Heyerdahl in

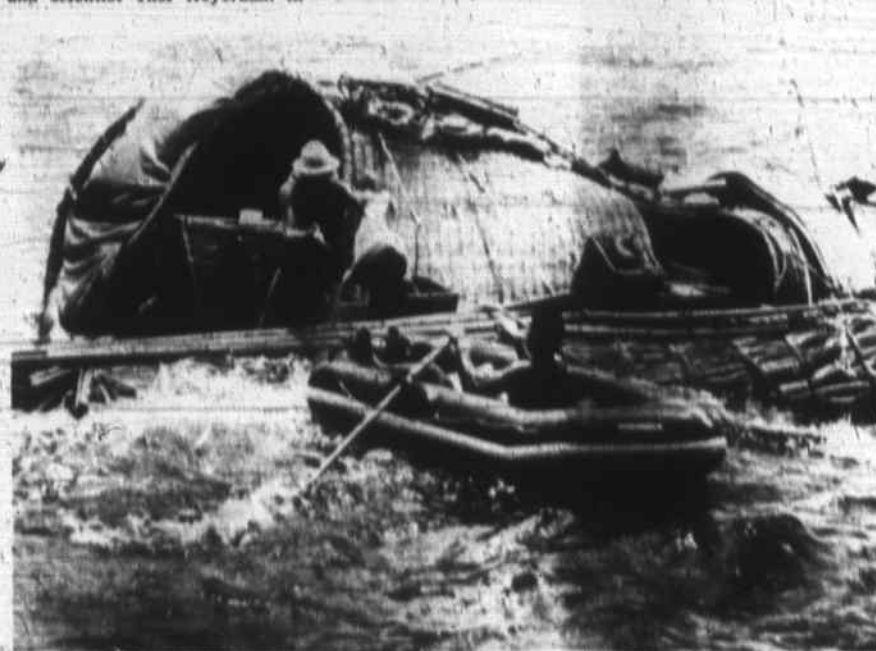
both voyages of the Ra across the Atlantic. The Ra, as many will remember, was a craft made of the papyrus reeds which grow along the River Nile.

Heyerdahl was seeking to prove some theories on the early crossing of the Atlantic by peoples from the Mediterranean.

Norman Baker is a 1949 graduate of Cornell University, a civil engineer, who met Heyerdahl in

Tahiti in 1956, and the two men remained in contact over the years. When Heyerdahl began assembling a crew for the Ra Baker was invited to join, which he did with enthusiasm.

A Commander in the Naval Reserve, Mr. Baker served in the Navy in the Korean War, and later was the mate of a sailing ship in the South Pacific.



THE RA IN MID ATLANTIC: A photograph supplied by Mr. Baker, who will lecture in the Barrows Auditorium on April 4th on the two voyages of the Ra.

CLASS OF '59 WBS PLANS 15TH REUNION

Attention Class of 1959. Any member of the WBS class of 1959 interested in attending a 15th class reunion this year and/or learning the whereabouts of their former classmates is urged to contact either Ann (Sheerin) Steiner of 21 First St., North Andover, 02048 or Carole Gliglio of 38 Salem St., Reading, 01462.

KENNETH SAVAGE ADVISOR AT WENTWORTH

Kenneth Savage of Dorchester St., Wilmington, a member of the faculty at Wentworth Institute in Boston has been named to serve as a faculty advisor for the second semester at the Institute.

Mr. Savage will serve as a student advisor.

FVT. GARY CARTER IN GERMANY

Army Private Gary A. Carter, 18, son of Mrs. Edith A. Carter of 24 Fairview Ave., Wilmington is assigned to the 2nd Armoured Cavalry Regiment in Germany.

Pvt. Carter as a courier with headquarters troop, 3rd squadron of the regiment in Amber.

NEW BOOKS AT WILMINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Vacancy by Patrick Mann. A vacancy in the Supreme Court spurs a story of bloody political treachery. Ringing all too true to life, this is documentary fiction at its best.

Deck with Flowers by Elizabeth Cadell. Madame Landini, a famous Russian princess, delves into the circumstances of her husband's mysterious death, a hint of romance brightens the mystery.

Dinky Hecker shoots Smack by M.E. Kerr. Dinky and her high school friends struggle with parents who don't realize that the kids who aren't on drugs have problems too.

The Congressman Who Loved Flaubert by Ward Just. Examines the character and motivation upon which power turns in the capital. People and situations that are timely and believable are presented in this collection of short fiction.

Malevil by Robert Merle. The author of The Day of the Dolphin weaves this story around a group of friends who become the sole survivors of a nuclear holocaust, and their efforts to rebuild society.

Stalking the Faraway Places by Euell Gibbons. Rafting on Mexico's Sea of Cortez, hiking in the mesas of the western U.S., and surviving on a windswept island off the coast of Maine - these are Euell Gibbons' subjects in his constant search for wild foods and the simple life.

WILMINGTON, MASS



BOARD OF APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING 7-34

A public hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 150 Middlesex Avenue on Tuesday evening, February 26, 1974 at 7:00 p.m. on the application of Polyvinyl Chemical, 730 Main Street, for a variance to erect a sign on a lot at 730 Main Street (Assessor's Map 30-4A) within the required front yard depth.

Bruce MacDonald, Chmn. Board of Appeals

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



PLANNING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall at 8 pm February 19, 1974, by the Planning Board, on certain articles which are to appear in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting, 1974.

Article 1: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-law and Zoning Map of the Town of Wilmington by voting to remove from General Business District and Single Residential A District to Industrial District the following described parcel of land to wit:

Beginning on Concord Street, the land bounded on the north by Concord Street, on the west by Route 1-93, on the south by the Inwood River, and on the east by the North Reading Town line, or do anything in relation thereto.

Article 2: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-law and Zoning Map by voting to re-zone from Single Residence A District to Industrial District, the parcel of land described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the centerline of the B & M RR property and turning and running westerly along the Wilmington-Woburn Town Line to the northeasterly side of the Boston Edison Company property line, about 275 feet; thence turning and running northeasterly along the westerly side of Woodlawn Avenue, about 335 feet; thence turning and running northerly along the westerly side of Cleveland Avenue, about 510 feet; thence turning and running easterly along the centerline of Cook Avenue and the centerline extended to the centerline of the B & M RR property, thence turning and running southerly along the B & M RR centerline to the Wilmington-Woburn Town Line and the point of beginning, or do anything in relation thereto.

Article 3: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-law and Zoning Map by striking out the requirements for Neighborhood Business under Minimum Lot Area for Use Permitted on Appeal, Minimum Lot Frontage for Use Permitted on Appeal, and Minimum Lot Depth, and by substituting the following:

Minimum Lot Area for Use Permitted on Appeal 10,000 sq. ft. Minimum Lot Frontage for Use Permitted on Appeal 150 ft. Minimum Lot Depth 100 ft. or do anything in relation thereto.

Article 4: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-law of the Town of Wilmington Section III-1-B-2, by adding after the words "hospital" the words "Ambulatory Care Center including related medical services", or do anything in relation thereto.

Article 5: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-law of the Town of Wilmington under Section III-1-B-8 by adding after the words "or swimming" the words "horse show" to this section, or do anything in relation thereto.

Article 6: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-law of the Town of Wilmington under Section III-1-B-10 by adding after the words "open-air business" the word "carnivals" to this section, or do anything in relation thereto.

Article 7: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-law of the Town of Wilmington under Section III-1-B-1 by deleting the words "or non-alcoholic beverages" in this section, or do anything in relation thereto.

Article 8: To see if the Town will vote to amend the present Zoning By-law and Zoning Map of the Town of

Farewell to Massena by Jeanne Wakatsuki Houston and James R. Houston. The author was seven when she and her family were interned at Massena during World War II. The problems of being a Japanese American before, during and after the war are told.

The Derek Sanderson Nobody Knows by Gerald Ekenasi. The story of how a hockey player who had never led his league in scoring, never made the all-star team, and hadn't even been close to the big money wound up with the greatest contract in the history of sports.

You are What You Write by Huntington Hartford. The relationship between handwriting and personality, the history of handwriting analysis and analyses

of famous signatures are included in this fascinating study.

RICHARD W. BUCK WILL HEAD MY BLOOD DRIVE

Richard W. Buck of 343 Chestnut Street, Wilmington, a sophomore majoring in physics at Mass. Institute of Technology is in charge of scheduling for a major blood drive planned for March.

M.I.T. is the leading donor of blood to the Red Cross among Massachusetts colleges and universities and last year donated more than 4,000 pints of blood.

The blood drive will be directed by the Technology Community Association, a student service group.

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Section 1-2A
9 Single Residence-C District (SRC)
Section III-1
Section III-1A
Section III-2B
Section III-2B-1
Section III-2B-2
Section III-2B-3
Section III-2B-4
Section IV-1
After the words Single Residence-A, Single Residence-C.

Section V-1
Under the column entitled: DISTRICT
DISTRICT Single Residence C (SRC)
Minimum Lot Area for Use Permitted without Appeal 45,000 sq. ft.
Minimum Lot Area for Use Permitted on Appeal 45,000 sq. ft.

Minimum Lot Frontage for Use Permitted without appeal 175 ft.
Minimum Lot Frontage for Use Permitted on Appeal 200 ft.
Maximum Height 2 1/2 stories or 38 ft.
Minimum Set-Back from Center Line of Street 70 ft.

Minimum Front Yard Depth 45 ft.
Minimum Width for each Side Yard 30 ft.
Minimum Rear Yard Depth 35 ft.

Minimum Lot Depth 175 ft.
Maximum Lot Coverage for Buildings or Structures 25%.

Article 1: To amend the Zoning Map of the Town of Wilmington by adding the Single Residence-C Districts as shown as "SRC" on a map on file with the Town Clerk entitled: "PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE ZONING DISTRICT MAP" by the Wilmington Planning Board, dated January 15, 1974.

Article 2: To see if the Town will vote to amend a portion of Section V-1 of the Zoning By-Law by striking out the requirements for Neighborhood Business under Minimum Lot Area for Use Permitted on Appeal, Minimum Lot Frontage for Use Permitted on Appeal, and Minimum Lot Depth, and by substituting the following:

Minimum Lot Area for Use Permitted on Appeal 10,000 sq. ft. Minimum Lot Frontage for Use Permitted on Appeal 150 ft. Minimum Lot Depth 100 ft. or do anything in relation thereto.

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Article 6: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-law and Zoning Map of the Town of Wilmington, by voting to re-zone from Single Residence-A District to Industrial District, the following described premises:

The land in Wilmington, triangular in shape, situated in the northerly side of Lowell Street and bounded as follows: NORTHERLY by Lowell Street, SOUTHERLY by Lowell Street, EASTERLY by Route 93.

(Petition of Wilbur F. Thomas)

Article 7: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Map of the Town of Wilmington, by voting to re-zone from Single Residence-A District to Industrial District, the following described premises:

The land in Wilmington situated in the southerly side of Lowell Street and bounded as follows: NORTHERLY by Lowell Street, NORTHERLY by West Street, SOUTHERLY by the Industrial District EASTERLY by Route 93.

(Petition of Wilbur F. Thomas)

Article 8: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map of the Town of

Wilmington, as amended, by changing the zoning classification of the following described parcel of land owned by George W. Cochran 3rd on the easterly side of West Street on the Wilmington-Reading line which lies in a two hundred foot wide buffer zone zoned Single Residence A (SHA) adjoining an Industrial District to that of "Industrial District" (IND) namely:

A certain parcel of land on the Easterly side of West Street bounded and described as follows:

WESTERLY by West Street, 230 feet, more or less; NORTHERLY by remaining industrially zoned land of George W. Cochran 3rd, 210 feet, more or less; WESTERLY again, by said Cochran land, 140 feet, more or less; NORTHERLY by land now or formerly of Clough and Fisher, 205 feet; EASTERLY along the Wilmington-Reading line, 320 feet, more or less, and SOUTHERLY along the Wilmington-Reading line, 350 feet, more or less, or do anything in relation thereto.

(Petition of George A. Anderson)

Article 9: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning the following described parcel of land from Rural to Industrial:

Beginning at the southwesterly corner thereof on Andover Street, formerly Woburn Street, at a stake and stones about six hundred eighty-one (681) feet Northerly from the Southwest corner of land formerly conveyed to John A. Jackson, thence running EASTERLY by said land conveyed to said Jackson, about one thousand one hundred forty-three (1,143) feet to a brook, thence running NORTHWESTERLY by said brook and land of said Jackson to land formerly of David Cummings and later of Charles Wakefield and more recently of Edward B. Eames, thence running WESTERLY by said last named land, about three hundred seventy (370) feet, to Andover Street, and thence running Southerly by said street about four hundred eight two (482) feet to point of beginning.

Containing 10 acres of land, more or less; or however otherwise said premises may be bounded, measured or described, or do anything in relation thereto. (Petition of Henri P. Chinn)

Article 10: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Map of the Town of Wilmington, by voting to re-zone from Single Residence-A District to General Business, the following described premises:

The land in Wilmington, triangular in shape, situated in the northerly side of Lowell Street and bounded as follows: NORTHERLY by Lowell Street, SOUTHERLY by Lowell Street, EASTERLY by Route 93.

(Petition of Wilbur F. Thomas)

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SPORTS

WILMINGTON RECREATION
TIDBITS

JOAN WELCH: Breaks out of the Chelmsford zone enroute to setting up the Rees only goal in a MVGHHL encounter on January 31. The Wilmington Recreation sponsored girls' soccer held on for a 1-1 tie to hold onto second place in the tight six team race.

Girls ice hockey...

Thurs. Jan. 31...The Rees Gold sextet ran their winless skid to eight with a 1-1 tie with a vastly improved Chelmsford club. Coach Backman's skaters have tied three while losing one in their four recent MVGHHL encounters. Cheryl Cushing put the Rees on top at 4:20 of the middle frame on a play set up by Joan Welch. Chelmsford came back at 6:18 of the period to knot the game as Lori King's drive from the blue line evaded Cindy Laquidara in the Rees nets.

The Gold's return to action tonight hosting a tough Haverhill club at the Billerica Forum. The club-off is listed for 6 pm and the

girls hope to get back on the winning trail. Through the games of Sunday night, February 1st, the Rees lead the league in the least amount of goals allowed (nine in nine contests). However, the offense has slipped scoring only six goals in the last eight outings.

This coming Sunday morning the Maroons travel to Merrimack College for an early (5:30 am) encounter with the Andover B's with hopes of winning their initial game of the season, having gone through eight straight games without a win. Also the Maroons have not scored a goal in the last four appearances, something has to give sooner or later.

Basketball...

Sat. Feb. 2...In the girls' set, the Panday ripped the winless Titans, 14-4 and the junior division leading Fawns ran their win streak to eight with a 28-12 triumph over the Hurricanes.

The senior girls' Jades extended their unbeaten streak to seven with a close 22-21 victory of the Rubys in the opener of three games. The Jades jumped out to a 12-8 halftime lead and then had with stand a late Ruby rally before winning. Sissy Sughrue led the victors with six points, while Debbie Olson took game high honors tossing in nine for the Rubys.

In other action the Diamonds stayed close to the top, while solidifying their hold on second place with a 24-18 win over the Crystals and the Emeralds won their initial contest of the season with a 25-22 triumph over the Opals. Diane Cook fired in 16 points to lead the Diamonds attack while Kathy Burke chipped in with six. Brenda Burns and Helen Bailey led the Crystals with seven and six respectively.

In the abbreviated boys slate, the Chief remained deadlocked for the divisional lead with a convincing 45-13 triumph over the Tigers.

Bill Liston (17), Eric Wood (10) and Greg Moulton (10) paced the Chiefs, while Craig Voke tossed in nine for the hustling Tigers. In the other contests, the Broncos ripped the Lions, 26-11 and the Patriots avenged an earlier loss to the Chargers with a 32-21 win over the latter. Dave Cook and Don

Lombardi paced the Broncos at 16 with nine and eight points respectively, while Paul Bush continues to be the lone offensive threat for the Lions tossing in nine points.

The Pats led only by one, 16-15 at halftime, but bounced back to outscore the Chargers, 16-6 in the final twelve minutes to knock the Chargers back into third place. Peter McMillan and Chris Nolan chipped in with four each. Tommy Carroll (nine), Glen Carlson (six) and Neil Weitzler (six) accounted for all of the Charger points. The remaining four games were postponed due to inclement weather.

Sun. Feb. 3...The Celtics edged the Pistons, 58-51 in a senior boys shootout and with the Bullets, 36-28 triumph over the Lakers the divisional race has really tightened up with only two games separating all six clubs. Ed Matoney keyed the Celtics attack with 23 points, while Mark Smith and Mark West added 14 and 12. Big Bob Walsh tossed in 29 for the Pistons and Pete McNaughton hit for 12, but it was not enough. The Bullets moved into first place a half game ahead of the idle Knicks as Scott Gordon and Jim Hadfield poured in 14 and 12 points respectively. Steve Woods continued his fine all around play, tossing in 13 for the Lakers, while Steve Winchell added 4.

Wilmington Ford knocked Silver Lake Pharmacy four games off the pace with a 72-63 triumph over the Pharmacy quintet. Ford jumped out to a commanding 38-19 half time lead only to have a cold second half, but Coach Hanna's club

HOW THEY STAND

STANDINGS ON TUESDAY AM, FEBRUARY 5, 1974

SONS OF ITALY

Totally Beers	33-7
Capitols	32-8
Wildcats	28-16
Skunks	20-29
Maroons	20-30
Stingers	18-32
Chargers	18-32
Bulldogs	16-34
Planings	15-35
Pandas	14-36
Bulldozers	12-38
Foxes	9-41

WILMINGTON GOLDEN AGERS

Top man in the Wilmington Golden Agers Bowling League this week was Bob Trout with a three string total of 282. Second place went to Bert Miller with 281 and third man was Steve Fischer. Trout's gross 3 point weeks Team B won 5 and lost 2.
There is still room for additional bowlers in the league. Interested bowlers should contact Joe Michalsky.

NORTH WILMINGTON

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BOWLING LEAGUE

Jaycoes	14-3
Stop & Go	10-6
Braden, Ind	10-6
Myron	8-8
American Traveler	8-8
No. Wilm Pharmacy	8-8
Soap Co.	6-7
No. Wilm Shell	0-16

High Series: Frank Spear 345, Bud Estabrooks 311, Dan Burdette 311, Al MacMillan 308, Lorraine Burt 408, Philip Estabrooks 429 and Mary A. Ackerman 425.

High Game: Frank Spear 307, Jim Caulfield 180, Dan Burdette 189, Philip Estabrooks 179, Lorraine Burt 171, and Mary Ann Ackerman.

MVGH BASKETBALL

Central Catholic	11-0
Chelmsford	8-2
Andover	7-3
Billerica	4-6
Medford	4-7
Dracut	3-7
Wilmington	2-9
Austin Prep	0-11

Next Games:

Fri. Feb. 8: Wildcats @ Chelmsford (7:30 pm), Redskins vs Central (7:30 pm), 16 Gym.

Fri. Feb. 11: Redskins @ Andover (7:30 pm), Redskins vs Dracut (7:30 pm), 16 Gym.

MVGH INDOOR TRACK

Final Standings

Andover	4-0
WILMINGTON	3-1
Billerica	3-2
Lawrence	3-3
Central Catholic	4-4
Chelmsford	4-4
Medford	7-4
TEWKSBURY	1-7

Next Meet:

Mon. Feb. 11: Conference Meet at Phillips Andover Academy (4:15 pm).

WILMINGTON YOUTH ICE ARENA LEAGUES

Midd. A-East

So. Boston	13-0-29
Southport	12-1-20
Stoughton	14-2-28
Medford	10-4-32
WILMINGTON	10-4-32
Reading	7-8-15
Danvers	6-10-12
TEWKSBURY	2-15-1-3

Midd. B

WILMINGTON	13-3-27
Hyfield	9-3-24
Billerica	7-6-30
Medford	6-9-15
Arlington	6-9-15
Reading	1-10-9

Squirt A-West

Reading	15-1-31
Medford	14-3-29
Waltham	11-3-28
So. Boston	6-9-25
Haverhill	6-10-13
WILMINGTON	5-11-12
Amherst	4-10-21
TEWKSBURY	4-14-3

Squirt B-East

Stoughton	13-3-27
Medford I	12-3-26
Waltham	11-4-24
Arlington I	5-9-25
Reading I	7-9-15
Somerville	6-10-18
WILMINGTON	6-10-13
TEWKSBURY	2-10-4

MERRIMACK VALLEY

GIRLS HOCKEY LEAGUE

Nashua	3-1-13
WILMINGTON RECS	4-3-11
Andover	4-3-10
Chelmsford	1-4-7
No. Middlesex	3-4-7
Haverhill	2-3-4

Next Games:

Tonight: Rees vs Haverhill (6 pm, Forum).

Sun. Feb. 18: Rees Maroon vs Andover (5:30 am, Merrimack College); Chelmsford vs Haverhill (7 pm, Nashua).

Tue. Feb. 12: Nashua vs No. Middlesex (6 pm, Forum).

MVGH HOCKEY

Billerica	13-0-27
TEWKSBURY	10-1-21
Austin Prep	7-1-16
WILMINGTON	5-5-13
Chelmsford	5-7-12
Andover	3-10-12
Central Catholic	0-14-0

Next Games @ Forum:

Sat. Feb. 9: Redskins vs Chelmsford (1:45 pm); Wildcats vs Billerica (3 pm).

Wed. Feb. 12: Redskins vs Central (3 pm); Wildcats vs Chelmsford (6:15 pm).

Fee Wee A-East

Reading	13-1-30
Medford	12-2-27
Somerville	10-4-32
Arlington	7-8-16
WILMINGTON	5-10-12
Chelmsford	5-10-12
Amherst	4-12-9
No. Reading	1-13-1-3

Fee Wee B-East

Medford	13-4-25
Billerica	11-5-24
Somerville	11-5-24
WILMINGTON	9-5-21
Reading	8-5-20
Amherst	2-10-6
No. Reading	0-12-0

Fee Wee C

Billerica	13-0-29
WILMINGTON	7-4-18
Waltham	5-5-18
Medford	5-7-12
Arlington	1-12-1-3

Bantam A-West

Waltham	11-0-20
Chelmsford	11-2-24
So. Reading	8-1-17
Chelmsford II	7-3-17
Reading	6-7-14
Peabody	6-6-17
Arlington	3-8-9
WILMINGTON	4-9-9
Ston	2-10-4

Bantam B-West

Stoughton	14-0-20
WILMINGTON	11-2-23
TEWKSBURY	10-3-22
Arlington I	8-5-17
Medford	8-5-11
Cambridge	4-8-10
Chelmsford	2-12-1-5
Billerica II	2-10-4

WILMINGTON REC BASKETBALL

Adults

Newhouse Builders	5-1
Super Stars	5-1
Wilmington Field	8-2
Lucky Ducks	4-3
Silver Lake Pharmacy	3-3
Converse Rubber	1-0
Aling Devices	1-0

Junior Girls

Fawns	8-0
Pandas	5-3
Burnies	3-3
Kitties	0-4

Senior Girls

Jades	7-0
Diamonds	5-4
Opals	3-4
Hollys	3-4
Crystals	2-5
Korabals	1-6

WILMINGTON YOUTH HOCKEY

Intramural notes...

Sprites...Last Friday night at the Arena, the Spurs nipped the Blazers, 1-0 and the Gulls ran their unbeaten streak to 10 with a thrilling come from behind 3-2 triumph over the third place Buccaneers. The other contest listed between the Blades and Rockets was postponed until a later date. On Saturday morning, the Roadrunners outscored the Checkers, 6-4 in a free wheeling contest.

Squirts...The Barons snapped their five game losing slide with a 2-1 upset win over the slumping Americans in Friday's lone game scheduled and on Saturday night, the Braves knocked off the division leading Voyagers, 2-1 while the Bears tripped the Aces, 5-1. The Clippers moved into title contention with a 4-1 victory over the Reds. Only four points separate the top six clubs in the wild race for the lead.

Bantams...The Leafs halted a seven game losing streak with a 7-5 triumph over the Red Wings and the Hawks ran their unbeaten skid to eleven with their 5-3 draw with the Bruins. Ray Gaud and Mark Foley scored a pair of goals while Phil Kincaid, Guy Clinch and Phil Lichtenwalder hit the scoring lamp once each for the Leafs. The Red Wings goal getters were Jackie Nickerson (two), Dan Sullivan, Mike Duggan and Mark Peabody. Gary Bibeau and Steve Theriault tallied twice each for the B's, while Tom Dunn scored a singleton. The Hawks were led by Kevin Randall (two), Pat Fullerton, Joe LaLiberte and Bob Mauriello.

Fee Wees...The Canucks edged the Flyers, 2-1 to move within a point of the first place Kings who were upset by the Blues, 1-0. In the other two encounters, the Stars won their third straight whipping the No. Stars, 6-3, while the Sabres snapped their six game winless skid with a 4-2 triumph over the hapless Penguins.

Nights...The Knights slipped by the slumping Generals, 3-2 and the Bombers got back into the win column with a 1-1 triumph over the second place Cougars. The Tigers-Generals contest was postponed.

Intertown action...

Midd. B (12-3-3)...The B's won ahead by three points in the race for the division title by narrowly defeating second place Hyfield 5-1. Hyfield led 1-0 until late in the first period when Kevin Cullivan tied the score at 1-1. Brian Sughrue assisted by Mike Kidd scored the game winner early in the second period and from then on it was all Wilmington. Sean Neill scored the insurance goal late in the second period, with assists going to Cullivan and Joe Cornish. Kidd and Bill Barrett completed the

scoring with a goal each in the final frame. Assists on the final goal went to Sughrue and Kidd. The A's continue their drive for the title Saturday vs Reading at 4:30 pm.

Fee Wee A (5-11-3)...Tewksbury won their first game in 17 outings by edging Wilmington 5-4 last Sunday. After falling behind 2-0 in the first period Wilmington got on the track in the middle frame with Mark Boudreau and Bob Lowney, assists went to LaLiberte, O'Donoghue, Sambernardi and Scorsaro. In the final period the A's had to play catch up hockey being down 3-2. The rally started with unassisted goals by Boudreau and Scorsaro. The rally fell short however, as Tewksbury added a tally minutes later. Wilmington outshot Tewksbury 18-14. The A's resume play on Sunday at 8:40 am vs Medford.

Squirt B (6-11-1)...Their game on Sunday was postponed by the league.

Fee Wee A's (6-10-2)...The A's outshot and out hustled the Arlington A's to gain their sixth victory by a score of 5-1. Arlington scored first but Wilmington came back with two goals in the first period, Paul Souza assisted by Scott Elliott and Steve Connolly and Lee Muford unassisted. In the second period, Billy McCann with an assist from Billy Murphy scored for Wilmington. The A's final two goals were scored by Steve Wingate assisted by Matty Kmon, and Billy McCann with an assist from Lee Muford. The A's outshot Arlington 25-11.

On Sunday the A's dropped a hard fought contest to a strong Peabody club, 4-2. Goal scorers for the A's were Dana Kidd assisted by McCann and Murphy, and an unassisted goal by Billy McCann. The A's were outshot 30-16, but managed to hold the Peabody club scoreless in the third period.

Fee Wee B (10-5-3)...Wilmington defeated Billerica 5-1 last Saturday. Dennis Foley's short handed goal in the second period gave Wilmington a 1-0 lead. The 1-0 assist went to Tim McCann. Minutes later Dave LaLiberte upped the lead to 2-0 with an assist going to Pete Gunn and Bob Greenberg. In the third period Pete Davey assisted by Mike

WILDCAT TALES

Reid sparks track victories

Thurs. Jan. 31...A tremendous personal record throw in the shot put by co-captain Bob Reid spurred the Wildcats to a 50-36 victory over stubborn Central Catholic. Reid's 51'-6" toss moves him ahead of Jon Fairfield in the all-time indoor list of outstanding Wilmington shot putters over the years. Bob now needs just 6" to surpass Carl Cotter's 51'-11 1/2" school record. The varsity co-captain's throw seemed to inspire his fellow shot putters (and didn't exactly hurt the team, either) as Steve Napolitano and Frank DePiano likewise hit personal bests of 44'-6" and 36'-6" respectively.

The shot putters weren't the entire story, however, as Rick McCully ran his third straight 6.0 in the hurdles to equal the MVC record for the second time this season. Bruce Bishop came from behind in the last few strides to take the 50 to get back on the winning track. Steve Coville ran another fine race (35.6) while copping the 300 and freshman Bob Sierraxa's 37.4 was good enough for a personal record and third place.

by 10 yards. Barry Foster finished third only eight seconds back.

Doug Spring did it again with a wire to wire victory in the 2-mile. Tim Nee got back in the groove with a good 9'-10" effort in the high jump, just missing the bar at 6'. The break down in scoring had the Wildcats 40-10 and 7-2 in first and thirds, while Central picked up a 24-3 advantage in second points.

Sat. Feb. 2...In as near a photo finish as you can get with natural eyeballs, Rick McCully was just barely nosed out by Mike Clement of St. John's Prep. Both McCully and Clement received votes of three judges, but two out of three first place officials picked Mike. So Rich was awarded second in the Northern Area Meet at Lynn Tech.

Rich's time of 6.0 broke the previous meet record set last year, and Clement was awarded 5.9. Ian MacInnis continued to show improvement in the mile as he clobbered the WGS mark WHS mark set two weeks ago by 5.2 seconds. Mac's time of 4:39.6 saw him run just out of the money (sixth place). Other good performances were turned in by Doug Spring, winning his heat in the 2-mile and Tim Nee with a 35.6 in the 300. The Wildcats were dealt a severe blow when Steve Coville, performing his own version of the Fosbury Flop, over shot the mats and fractured his left scapula. Steve was almost a certain place winner in the 600.

Mon. Feb. 4...If ever a team rose to an occasion it was the varsity track squad in their convincing 53-33 triumph over Lawrence. Severely hampered by the injury to Coville, the Wildcats were called upon to perform to the maximum of their abilities to compensate for the loss of the fine junior runner. The roster of outstanding performances could include many names, but two in particular starred.

Bruce Bishop did not gain any first place points, but he managed to heave the shot almost 4' better than his best ever to follow Bob Reid and Steve Napolitano for a Wildcat sweep in the event. Napolitano's 46'-10" inside tally surpassed his previous best by 2'. Bishop was still not finished as he gained a strong second to Mark Hatem in the dash and Rick Howett's third in the 50 did not hurt at all either.

Bishop's final superlative effort was a superb third leg in the relay in which he caught the Lancers Saab and built up a ten yard lead for anchorman Tim Nee, who brought the baton home in front, for an easy 20 yard victory over Hatem. Bishop's effort in Coville's slot gave the Wildcats a totally unexpected five points in the relay.

Don Capone was another athlete, who came through in the clutch with his second place finish in the hurdles and high jump added another six important points for the Wildcats. Other firsts gained by Tim Nee (35.7) in the 300 Doug Spring (10:17.8) in the 2-mile provided the varsity with their margin of victory. Dave Spring's personal best of 2:39.6 in the 1000 was good for second place while Ian MacInnis also took a second in the mile with a 4:49.3.

Junior Tim Nee nonchalantly his way to a 1:22.5 victory in the 600, while Dave Cain held off an improving Keith Rouche for third place. The expected match of the Wildcats Dave Spring and Central's DiMariano in the 1000 never materialized since the Raiders top runner was lying in wait for the mile and Spring's 2:38.2 was more than enough for an easy win. The mile saw Ian MacInnis take an early lead and increase it to 20 yards, perhaps he became too complacent, since he didn't have his final drive over the final two laps. This was all DiMariano needed and the Central runner put on a tremendous kick with 300 yards to go to catch the surprised MacInnis on the final 1/3 lap to win

Woods in stellar performance

The varsity basketball quintet split both of the recent MVC encounters, bowing to Central Catholic on Friday, and then defeating Methuen behind Tom Woods' incredible game Tuesday night.

Fri. Feb. 1...In the opening stanza the Raiders held a slight 8-6 lead as the Wildcats moved the ball well and set up good percentage shots in a very competitive frame. However, Central picked up four fast break hoops in the second period on Wildcat turnovers and at halftime the Raiders led, 37-14.

The second half was fairly even with Central maintaining a 10-6 lead through the third quarter. The final two quarters. Good efforts were turned in by Ralph Peterson (three for three from the floor) and Bill Eckbert (five rebounds) in the last period when the Wildcats kept scrapping, but Central won out, 56-37.

Tues. Feb. 5...Senior Tom Woods put together his finest game ever, tossing in 27 points and hauling down 11 rebounds including the last rebound of the game with only seconds remaining as the Wildcats edged Methuen, 54-57. The only time the varsity trailed was 13-11 after the opening period as a slow start hampered the Wildcats and it did not look good for Coach DiSarcina's club.

However in the second frame the varsity put together their finest period of the season, outscoring the Raiders, 20-9 for a ten point half time lead. Woods had 15 of the team's points in the first half as he consistently hit on hook shots from 15-10 feet out.

The Raiders came out in the third period pressing, but co-captain Doug Stewart was at his best in bringing up the ball and Woods continued hot scoring eight more points. In the final frame the Wildcats' 11 point lead dissipated as the foul shooting went astray (two for seven) missing three 1's. With 6:28 left to play, the varsity had a 15 point lead, but a cold spell in free throw shooting gave the Raiders the opportunity to come back and they did. DiDoug Stewart's two free throws with 24 seconds left proved to be the final difference. Woods hit on 12 of 22 field goal attempts for a superb 55%, while the team hit on 22 of 49 compared to the Raiders' 23 of 67.

Wildcats crush Central, 7-0

Sat. Feb. 2...Senior captain John Harrison fired home three goals to pace the varsity skaters to an easy 7-0 white washing of the Red Raiders. Harrison's three goals brought his seasonal total to 16. Other goal getters in the contest were Gordie and Paul Fitch, Dino Esposito and Mike Gracia.

The Wildcats maintained a 40-10 shot on net advantage. The goal tending chores were shared by Dean Devlin, who got a deserved rest, and junior Kris Hinzman. On Saturday the boys go up against formidable Billerica.

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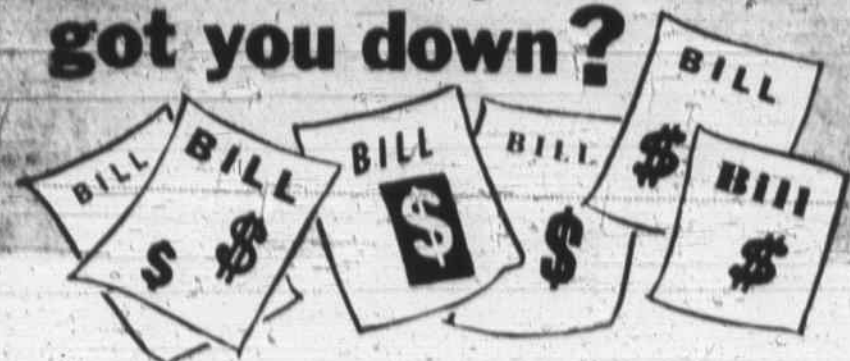
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For the last half of January, Eastern Massachusetts, indeed a greater part of New England, had to put with a Khamsin. The natives of New England groaned for such sports as skiing and skating were destroyed, not to mention the snowmobiling on property of others.

But there were other natives who welcomed the Khamsin with open arms. These were the peoples who had to pay fealty to Saudi Arabs and purchase the fuel oil of that country. For them the Khamsin was a blessing from Allah.

and on the eleventh day of the Khamsin it was as a day in June. Sparrows were bathing in roadside pools and wild ducks were to be seen in the ponds. The young people were without coats or sweaters. And on the largest pussy willow tree in the United States, at 98 Andover Street in the village of North Wilmington, the

catkins were blooming.

But all good things must end, for so it is written. There was, that night, a might roar of wind. The trees trembled, and the very wind-dows in the homes rattled.

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Church, the Rev. Peter Schreck of the First Baptist Church, the Rev. Fr. Francis Mackin of St. Thomas Church and the Rev. George Taylor III of the Congregational Church.



YOUTH RALLY PLANNING COMMITTEE: In a meeting on Sunday, at the First Baptist Church. From left: Willem Baan, Debbie Marisette, Jean Lefevre and the Rev. Peter Schreck.

Letter

Dear Larz:

There seems to be some confusion on the part of the Glen Rd. residents concerning what, exactly, the petitioners for the sidewalk on Glen Rd. would like. This confusion apparently started, in part, from the articles appearing in the Town Crier in January, 1974.

The petition started simply to ensure the safety of the children walking to school on a very dangerous road, for a sidewalk on one (1) side of Glen Rd. (school side) and was not meant to infuriate the residents of said road by having them believe that the petitioners wished the road be widened on both sides, taking more property than is absolutely necessary.

Would it be possible for you to print this in your next edition?

If you would, it would save a lot of confusion and hard feelings, and possible we could all get some positive action on a sidewalk for our children's safety, which, after all, is the real issue here.

Mrs. Patricia Toto,
Emerson St., Wilmington

Police Chief and Mrs. Paul Lynch of Faulkner Ave. Wilmington will celebrate their thirty-first wedding anniversary on Valentine's Day February 14th.

Last Friday evening, the Bill Belbins of Morse Ave., Wilmington were treated to dinner at the Kernwood at Lynnfield by their three sons, Bob, Lloyd and Irving. The celebration was in observance of the couple's forty-fourth wedding anniversary. Also on hand for the festivities were daughters-in-law, Barbara, Muriel and Shirley.

Wilmington Golden Agers who will be observing birthdays soon include: Melvin Cassidy of Burnap St., on February 12th; Pauline Wainor of Middlesex Ave., on February 14th; Irene Chisholm of Middlesex Ave., on February 15th and Grace Bourbeau of Deming Way on February 16th.

Other Wilmington residents observing birthdays about now are:

Ellery Burpee, Jr. of Grove Ave., on February 4th; Richard Woods of Beacon St., on February 11th; Cheryl Ford of Westdale

Ave., on February 14th, who will share her birthday with Herman Peitzsch of Burlington Ave., who will be 84 years old on the 14th; and Dave Morse of Pinewood Rd. on February 15th.

WILMINGTON LWV UNIT MEETING FEB 12 & 13

The League of Women Voters of Wilmington will sponsor their unit meeting concerning the Massachusetts judicial system - an evaluation of its procedures and practices to determine the system's effectiveness in providing justice for all citizens.

The discussion will include plea bargaining, indictment and trial by jury, sentencing, and alternatives to judicial dispositions.

The meetings will be held on February 12th at the home of Ruth Ottati, 40 Hathaway Road and repeated on February 13th at the home of Elizabeth Neilson at 67 High Street. Both meetings will begin at 8 pm. League members and other interested persons are invited to attend.



THE FINANCE COMMITTEE HEARING: Of last week was well attended, as far as Finance Committee hearings go, with about forty persons in addition to the committee members being present. From left: Town Manager Stirling Morris; Vice Chairman Madelyn McKie; Brian Rogers, Christian Bachman, Chairman; Dick Duggan, Tom Casey, Rodney Laughlin and Richard Cogan.

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